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Terry Goddard to Host Shred-a-Thon in Youngtown

(Phoenix, Ariz. – Oct. 3, 2006) Attorney General Terry Goddard and Youngtown AARP will host a Shred-a-Thon this Saturday, Oct. 7, beginning at 9 a.m. The event will be held at the Youngtown Town Hall, 12030 Club House Square.

Residents are encouraged to bring old bills, tax returns older than seven years, medical records and other documents containing personal identifying information to shred. The Center for the Blind Document Destruction is donating the use of a large shredding truck for the event.

"For victims of ID theft restoring one's identity is a long, frustrating process," Goddard said. "Shredding old financial documents is a simple way to reduce your chances of becoming a victim."

The Attorney General's Fraud Fighter Van and Community Services staff will be on hand with information about consumer protection. West Valley residents interested in more information about consumer protection and civil rights can visit the Attorney General's Satellite offices located at the Fairway Recreation Center in Sun City and at the PORA office in Sun City West. The Sun City office is located at 10600 W. Peoria Ave. and is open on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to noon. The Sun City West office is located at 13815 Camino del Sol and is open on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to noon.

The Shred-a-Thon is free and open to the public.

Event Information:

Event:	Shred-a-Thon
When:	Saturday, Oct. 7
Time:	9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Where:	Youngtown Town Hall 12030 Club House Square Youngtown, AZ

If you have questions about this event or other consumer issues, please call (602) 542-2123 or visit the Attorney General's Web site at www.azag.gov.

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